

ABSTRACT

A broadcasting system which can monitor all input
5 devices for their operating conditions, the broadcasting
system includes input devices $1_1 - 1_M$ for receiving sound,
output devices $3_1 - 3_N$ for broadcasting sound, and a
controller 4. These features are interconnected through a
network 2. In response to a broadcasting request from an
10 arbitrary input device, the controller 4 delivers routing
data indicative of a combination of the input device, which
has made the broadcasting request, with an output device
which should broadcast the sound from the input device to all
the input devices $1_1 - 1_M$. The routing data includes
15 priority data indicative of a priority thereof, so that a
display unit of each input device makes a display based on
the priority data included in the routing data when it
receives the routing data from the controller 4.